

The Daily Market Report

PORTLAND, March 18.—That butter is scheduled for a decline in the near future is the general belief in the local trade. The San Francisco market is reported weaker, and the change there is sure to be felt here soon or later. Further, a downward tendency in butter prices is always expected here at this time of the year.

Nevertheless, for the time there is an actual scarcity of butter in this market. Though though cream supply has been on the increase for a month or more, the current make in the city and state is short of actual requirements. Some of the city creamery men today reported that thus far this week they had not been able to fill orders, and they looked for no change in the situation such as to warrant any price change within the next few days.

Standard city creamery butter is now selling at 35 to 36 cents a pound. At this time in 1908 it was quoted at 30 cents, and from that time on there was a gradual decline until May 1, when the price was 23 cents a pound. That prices will work down this year is to be expected, but the decline seems to be a little slower than usual in developing.

Eggs Steady at 20 Cents. The egg market held about steady at the 20-cent level today. Receipts from the country continue fairly liberal, but as yet there is no complaint of serious accumulation of stocks in the local trade. Local retailers buy but moderately, but the demand in the North helps materially in keeping the decks clear.

TRANSPORTATION.

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Gold Crowns, 22-k. \$5.00
Bridgework 22-k. \$5.00
Gold Filling \$1.50 up
Enamel Filling \$1.50 up
Silver Filling .50c, \$1.00
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Salmon Situation in East.

A late mail report from New York says of the salmon market: "Renewed interest in and active demand for salmon is the most prominent feature in the market today. Aside from a few 1-lb. tall and half-pound flats, there are no fancy Columbia River or sockeye salmon to be had. Red Alaska stocks are decreasing rapidly. The market is very firm and will be much higher in the immediate future."

Vegetables in Fair Supply.

Truck of all sorts is moderately plentiful, but there is no excess, and prices as a result hold up well. Receipts for the day included two cars of sweet potatoes and one of celery from California. The sweets were quoted firm at \$2.50 to \$3 a hundred, and celery remains firm at \$4.50 a crate. The best Los Angeles cabbage moves at \$3.50 and cauliflower at \$2.75.

Sugar Advances 15 Cents.

The prospect for a reduction of the tariff on sugar does not as yet show any depressing effect on prices. Wholesale grocers today announced an advance of 15 cents a hundred on all grades of the sweet stuff, the result of a generally stronger market.

Sugar, Coffee, Etc.

Sugar (sack basis)—D. G., \$5.90; best, \$5.70; Golden C., \$5.30; extra C., \$5.40; powdered, \$6; fruit or berry sugar, \$5.90; boxes, 55c cwt. advance over sack basis (less 1-4c if paid for in 15 days).

Coffee—Mocha, 24@28c; Java, fancy, 25@28c; Java, good, 20@24c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy 18@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16@18c; Arabucke \$17.63 cwt.; Columbia coffee, 14c lb; Salvador, 11@14c lb.

Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$6.35; Southern Japan, \$5.75@6; broken, 4c head; fancy, \$7@7.75. Salt—Bales of 75-2s, bale, \$2.25; bales of 60-3s, bale, \$2.25; bales of 40-4s, bale, \$2.25; bales of 15-10s, bale, \$2.25; bags, 50s, fine, ton, \$15; bags, 50c; genuine Liverpool, ton, \$17; bags, 50s, 1-ground, \$13.50; 100s, ton, \$13; R. S. V. P., 20 5-lb. cartons, \$2.25; R. S. V. P., 3-lb. cartons, \$1.75; Liverpool, lump, per ton, \$20.

Dried Fruits—Apples, 8c per lb; peaches, 10@12c; pears, 11@14c; Italian prunes, 5@6c; California figs, white, in sacks, 7c lb; black, 6@7c; bricks, 75c@82.25 per box; Smyrna, 16@17c lb; dates, Persian, 6@7c lb.

WHOLESALE PRICES.

Grain, Flour, Hay, Etc. Wheat—Track prices: Club, \$1.08; blue-steam, \$1.20; turkey red, \$1.10; red Russian, \$1.05; Valley, \$1.10. 1Four—Patents, \$5.65; straights, \$4.55@4.80; exports, \$4.00; Valley, \$5.40; 11-sack graham, \$5.20; whole wheat, \$5.40; rye, \$5.50. Barley—Feed, \$30.50; rolled, \$32@33; brewing, \$31.50. Oats—No. 1 white, \$39; gray, \$38. Hay—Track prices: Timothy—Willamette Valley, \$14@16; Eastern Oregon, \$17@17.50; alfalfa, \$14@15; clover, \$13@14; cheat, \$14@15; vetch, \$13@14. Millstuffs—Bran, \$25.50@26; middlings, \$33; shorts, \$29@30; chop, \$20@28.

Meats and Provisions.

Hams—10-12 lbs., 14c; 14-16 lbs., 14c; 18-20 lbs., 13c. Dressed Meats—Hogs, fancy 9c; 10c, ordinary 8@9c, large 7c; veal, extra 10@8c, ordinary 8@9c, heavy 7c; mutton, fancy 6@7c. Bacon—Breakfast 17@21c, picnics 9c; cottage roll, 11c; regular short clear, smoked 13c, do unsmoked 12c; clear backs, unsmoked 12c, do smoked 13c; shoulders, 11c. Lard—Kettle leaf, 10s, 14c; do 5s, 14c; do 50-lb. tins, 14c; steam rendered, 10s, 13c; do 5s, 13c; compound, 10s, 9c.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry.

Butter—Extras, 35@36c; fancy, 35c; store, 18@20c. Cheese—Full cream twins, 17@17.5; full cream triplets, 17@17.5; Young America, 18c; cream brick, 20c; Swiss block, 20c; Limburger, 18@20c. Eggs—Select Oregon, 20c. Poultry—Mixed chickens, 15@15.5c; fancy hens, 15@16c; roosters, old, 10c@11c; broilers, 22@25c; dress poultry 1c per pound higher; ducks, live, 20@21c; geese, live, 8@9c; turkeys, live, 17@18c; dressed, 20@22c.

Fruits and Vegetables.

Fresh Fruits—Oranges, \$1.75@2.75; tangerines, \$2.00 box; lemons, \$1.50@4.00; grapes, Spanish Malaga, \$6@7.00 per crate; pears, \$1.75@2.00 per box; cranberries, \$15.00 per barrel; bananas, 51@56c per pound. Apples—Best Oregon, \$2.00@2.50; common, \$1.25@1.75 per box.

Vegetables—Turnips, \$1.50 per sack; beets, \$1.50; parsnips, \$1.50; cabbage, \$3.25@3.50; head lettuce, 75 cents per dozen; cucumbers, \$1.75@2.25 per dozen; celery, 90c@1.00 per dozen; artichokes, \$1.40 per dozen; beans, 25c per pound; peas, 15c per pound; tomatoes, \$2.00@2.25 per crate; squash, 2c per pound; peppers, \$1.75 per box; cauliflower, \$2.50 per crate; asparagus, 11@20c per pound. Potatoes—Buying prices, \$1.25@1.40; sweets, \$2.75@3.00. Onions—Buying prices: \$1.75@1.85 per hundred.

Oysters, Clams and Fish.

Oysters—Shoalwater Bay, per gallon \$2.25; per sack \$4.50; Toke Point, \$1.60 per 100; Olympia (120 lbs.), \$6; Olympia, per gallon, \$2.25. Fish—Halibut, 9 cents per pound; black bass, 20 cents; striped bass, 18c; herring, 5c; flounders, 6c; catfish, 9c; shrimp, 12c; perch, 6c; sturgeon, 12c; sea trout, 19c; tom cod, 8c; salmon, fresh, steelhead, 10c; Chinook, 15c.

Canned Salmon—Columbia river, 1-lb. talls, \$2; 2-lb. talls, \$3; fancy, 1-lb. flats, \$2.15; 1-lb. flats, \$1.25; fancy, 1-lb. ovals, \$2.75; Alaska talls, pink 95c, red \$1.40; nominal, 2s, talls, \$2.10.

Clams—Little neck, per box, \$2.50; razor clams, \$2 per box; crabs, \$1@1.50 dozen.

JOBBER'S QUOTATIONS.

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Raisins—Loose muscatels, 3-crown, 6c; 4-crown, 7c; bleached seedless Sultanias, 9c@12c; unbleached seedless Sultanias, 6c; London layers, 3-crown, whole boxes of 20 pounds, \$2.00; 2-crown, \$1.75. Nuts—Walnuts, 14c per pound; filberts, 16c; Brazil, 16c; pecans, 14@20c; hickory, 10c; Virginia row peanuts, 8 cents; chestnuts, Italian 10c, Ohio 25c; cocoanuts, dozen, 90c@1; pine nuts, 10@12c pound; almonds, 13c. Dried Fruits—Apples, 8c per lb; peaches, 10@12c; pears, 11@14c; Italian prunes, 5@6c; California figs, white, in sacks, 7c per pound; black, 6@7c; bricks, 75c@82.25 per box.

Oil, Lead, Etc.

Benzine—V. M. and P. Naptha, cases, 20c; iron barrels, 13c. Linseed Oil—Raw, 5-barrel lots, 66c; 1-barrel lots, 67c; in cases, 73c; boiled, 5-barrel lots, 68c; 1-barrel lots, 69c; in cases, 75c. Turpentine—In cases, 62c; in barrels, 59c gallon. Coal Oil—Pearl and astral oil, cases, 18c; per gallon; water white, iron barrels, 11c; cocene and extra star, cases, 21c; headlight oil, cases, 20c; iron barrels, 18c; Elaine, cases, 28c. Tar-pentine—In cases, 65c; in barrels, 62c.

Gasoline—Union and Red Crown, barrels, 15c; cases, 22c. Motor, barrels, 16c; cases, 23c. 86 degrees, barrels, 30c; cases, 37c. Engine distillate, barrels, 9c; cases, 16c. Lead—Net weight, packages ton lots 7c; 500-lb. lots, 8c; less than 500 lbs., 8c; red lead and litharge, 1c higher than white.

Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Wool—Eastern Oregon contracts, 16@18c per pound; Valley, 15@16c. Hops—1909 contracts, 10@10.5c; 1908 crop, 7@8c; 1907 crop, 3c. Mohair—Choice, 20@22c lb. Casaca Sagrada (chittim bark)—5@6c per pound. Oregon Grape-root—Per 100 lbs., \$3@5.

Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 16@17c lb; dry kip, No. 1, 15@16c; dry salted, one-third less; dry calf, 18@19c; salted steers, 9@9.5c; salted cows, 8c; stags and bulls, 5c; kip, 10@11c; calf, 14@19c; green stock, 1c per pound less; sheepskins, shearings, 25@30c; short wool, 50@60c; medium and long wool, according to quality, 75c@1.50; dry horses, 50c@1.50; dry colts, 25c; angora, 80c@1; goat, common, 10@20c.

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WANTED—TRAVELING SALESMAN, to handle as a side line a quick selling article that is used in every home; good profit. Address, The Manufacturer, L. Box 112, Astoria, Ore.

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 528 Franklin avenue.

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WANTED—A FEW MEN TO board in private family; Scandinavian preferred; good home-cooking at \$18 per month. Apply at 149 Third street, between Commercial and Duane.

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SIX LOTS IN HUSTLER & AIKENS Addition; cash or installments; easy terms. J. H. Hobson, near Young's Bay bridge, Farmers 29.

PIANO FOR SALE; COST \$565; will sell for \$300. See Charles W. Ecklund, 491 Third street.

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A SMITH PREMIER AND NO. 7 Remington; both in first-class condition. See Lenora Benoit, Public Stenographer, 477 Commercial street.

LOST.

LOST—ON COMMERCIAL ST., between 14th and 16th, a ladies' gold mounted back comb. Finder will leave at Astorian office and receive reward.

CARPENTERS.

G. O. AND G. N. STADIN BROS., carpenters, builders and contractors, Ninth and Duane street, will give prompt attention to all orders; terms reasonable; satisfaction guaranteed.

TO RENT—HOUSES.

WANTED—RESPONSIBLE TENANT desires to rent 5 or 6 room house, at once, north of Grand avenue. Address P. O. Box 4.

FOR RENT—7-ROOM MODERN house; good neighborhood; furniture for sale. Apply to James Finlayson or B. L. Ward, 377 Commercial street.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

WANTED—A GOOD RANCH IN The Nehalem Valley; state lowest figure and best terms; giving location and improvements. Address "A 10," Astorian Office.

RESTAURANTS.

CAMELLIA RESTAURANT, 612 Commercial street; first class meal, 15 cents; coffee and cake, 10 cents. U. S. RESTAURANT, 434 Bond street. Coffee with pie or cake, 10 cents; first-class meals, 15 cents.

TOKIO RESTAURANT, 351 Bond street, opposite Ross, Higgins & Co.; coffee with pie or cake, 10 cents; first-class meals; regular meals 15 cents and up.

BATH HOUSES.

BATHS—TURKISH AND RUSSIAN, at the natatorium of George Hill, 217 Astor St.; rational prices; absolute cleanliness; private rooms; separate service for ladies; rheumatism and skin diseases treated with perfect success. 10-25-11

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VETERINARY COLLEGES.

BULLETIN SAN FRANCISCO Veterinary College now ready; mailed free. Dr. C. Keane, 1818 Market street.

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ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

GUSTAF A. HEMPLE Attorney-at-Law Suite 9-10 Odd Fellows' Building Tenth and Commercial Streets

HOWARD M. BROWNELL, Attorney at Law, Deputy District Attorney. 420 Commercial Street.

DENTISTS

DR. F. VAUGHAN, DENTIST, Pythian Building, Astoria, Oregon.

DR. W. C. LOGAN, DENTIST, Commercial Street, Shanahan Bldg.

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DR. RHODA C. HICKS, OSTEOPATH. Office: Mansell Bldg., Phone Black 2055. 573 Commercial Street.

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FREDRICKSON BROS.—We make a specialty of house moving, carpenters, contractors, general jobbing; prompt attention to all orders. Corner Tenth and Duane streets.

MASSAGE AND SHAMPOOING.

SCALP MASSAGE OR SHAMPOOING. Will call at your residence or you can call on me at the Megler House after 3 p. m. Mary M. Suprenant.

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TYRA KOHLANDER, ROYAL graduate in Swedish movements, physical culture and massage; office, 545 Franklin ave., second flat; hours: 9-11 a. m., 3-5 p. m., or Central Drug Store, Telephone Main 2181.

AUCTION AND COMMISSION.

EVERY SATURDAY AT 11 A. M. we will sell to the highest bidder a large consignment of furniture; make your own prices; during the week furniture will be sold at auction prices; see Martin Olsen for up-to-date upholstery work, mattress making, etc., will repair your bed in one day, calling for it in the morning and returning it in the afternoon; will sew and lay carpets. Olsen & Ecklund, Commission and Auction House, 110 Fifteenth street.

WOOD WANTED.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Committee on Supplies of the Astoria School Board, at the office of W. A. Sherman, Clerk, 501 Duane street, Astoria, until April 1, 1909, for furnishing wood for the Astoria public schools as follows: Alderbrook school ... 20 cords 2-cut Adair school ... 65 cords 1-cut Shively school ... 60 cords 4-Ft. McClure school ... 125 cords 4-Ft. McClure school ... 10 cords 2-cut Taylor school ... 75 cords 4-Ft.

Bids must state kind and price of wood to be delivered at the several schools. Contractor will be required to furnish bond that wood will be delivered on or before August 1, 1909, with forfeiture for each day thereafter, if not so delivered.

FRANK J. TAYLOR, J. N. GRIFFIN, Committee on Supplies. Dated, March 16, 1909.

PROPOSALS WANTED.

PROPOSALS FOR BEEF AND mutton, Vancouver Barracks, Wash., March 16, 1909. Sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering fresh beef and mutton for six months beginning July 1, 1909, will be received here and at offices of commissaries at Fort Stevens, Ore., Boise Barracks, Idaho, Forts Casey, Columbia, Flagger, Lawton, Vancouver, Walla Walla, Ward, Worden and George Wright, Wash. until 10 a. m., April 16, 1909, and then opened. Envelopes containing proposals should be indorsed, "Proposals for fresh beef and mutton to be opened April 16, 1909," and addressed to commissary of post to be supplied, or to Major H. J. Gallagher, Chief Commissary.

OFFICE OF THE CONSTRUCT-

ing Quartermaster, Fort Stevens, Or., March 18, 1909.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., April 16, 1909, and then publicly opened, for the construction of a brick or concrete storehouse at Fort Stevens, Or. Plans can be seen, specifications obtained and full information furnished at this office. The United States reserves the right to reject any or all bids or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked "Proposals for Construction," and address to the Constructing Quartermaster, Fort Stevens, Or.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Committee on Streets and Public Ways, the Superintendent of Streets and the City Surveyor have filed a certificate of completion of a sewer on 51st street, from the South line of Cedar street to the beach on the north line of Birch street, by Charles E. Johnson, the contractor, in accordance with general ordinance No. 3678 and the contract therefor. That unless objections are filed against the same, the same will be accepted by ordinance at the next regular meeting of the Common Council.

OLOF ANDERSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria, Or. Dated, Astoria March 12, 1909.

NOTICE TO ESTABLISH GRADE

that the Common Council of the City of Astoria has declared its determination and intention to establish the grade on Cedar street from the east line of Fifty-fourth street to the east line of Fifty-seventh street, so that the grade when so established will be at the following elevations above the base of grades as established by Ordinance No. 71 of the City of Astoria, to-wit:

At the east line of Fifty-fourth street at an elevation of 145 feet above the base of grades; at the west and also the east line of Fifty-fifth street at an elevation of 173 feet above the base of grades; at the west and also the east line of Fifty-sixth street at an elevation of 221 feet above the base of grades; at the west and also the east line of Fifty-seventh street at an elevation of 181 feet above the base of grades; that the grade between the points above designated shall be upon an even and gradual slope.

By order of the Common Council. OLOF ANDERSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria. Dated March 18, 1909.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the assessment made for constructing a sewer on Fifty-first street from the south line of Cedar street to the beach on the north line of Birch street as per assessment roll number 186, was made by an order of the Common Council of the City of Astoria, due and payable on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1909, by ordinance confirming said assessment roll. That the following are the names of the persons against whom the assessment is made and the amount owing by each to-wit:

Abelson Gehardine	\$12.00
Erickson, Andrew	26.32
Kelley, Mary M.	4.80
Nelson, John A.	7.20
Pearson, George	92.12
Schamberger, Joseph	276.36
Soderstrom, Helmer	39.48
Soderstrom, Leonard	4.80
Sorensen, Antone	19.20
Smith, Daisy B.	39.48
Simonsen, Andrew	26.32
Thompson, William	26.32

By order of the Common Council. OLOF ANDERSON, Auditor and Police Judge of the City of Astoria. Dated March 18, 1909.

CALL FOR WARRANTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there is money in the treasury to pay all Clatsop County General Fund Warrants, endorsed prior to December 1, 1907, and all outstanding Court House Fund Warrants; interest will cease this date.

WM. A. SHERMAN, Treasurer, Clatsop County, Or. Dated Astoria, Or., March 8, 1909.

Notice.

There is money in the Astor street fund from 6 to 8 street to pay warrants No. 26702 to 26710 inclusive. Interest will cease after this date.

THOMAS DALEY, City Treasurer. Astoria, Ore., March 17 1909.

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